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Request for Continued Examination (RCE), Amendment,  
And Response to Final Office Action mailed March 2, 2006  
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#### REMARKS

In the Final Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 15 and 18-20, objected to claims 16, 17, 21, and 22 for being dependent on a reject base claim but containing allowable subject matter, and allowed claims 1-14. Applicants thank the Examiner for noting the allowing subject matter in the present application.

By this response, Applicants have cancelled claim 16 without prejudice, amended independent claim 15 to include subject matter previously indicated as allowable, amended claims 17, 21, and 22 to depend from claim 15, and amended claim 19 to accord with the Examiner's suggestion. In view of these amendments, Applicants respectfully submit that all pending claims are now in condition for allowance.

If the Examiner believes that a telephonic interview will advance prosecution of the present application to allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the Undersigned at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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